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See notes to sec. 226.

1904, art. 23, sec. 223. 1894, ch. 295, sec. 143 R.

**242.** Any association entitled to do business in this State under the provisions of section 229 to section 242 (both inclusive) of this article, which shall so conduct its affairs or shall in any manner change its charter, constitution or laws, so that it shall not answer to the description of a fraternal beneficiary association as set forth in section 229 shall thereupon cease to be entitled to the privilege of said section.

This section referred to in construing sections 193 and 229—see notes thereto. *International Fraternal Alliance v. State*, 86 Md. 557.

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See notes to sec. 229.

*Ibid.* sec. 224. 1894, ch. 295, sec. 2.

**243.** The insurance commissioner of this State shall notify the supreme secretary of each of the said associations now doing business in this State of sections 229-242, and enclose a blank for the report of its operations for each year ending December 31; and every association receiving such notice and blank shall file such report in the manner provided in section 232, not later than three months from the date of the receipt of such notice and blank, under the like penalties as provided in section 239 for not filing a report.

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See notes to sec. 229.

1904, art. 23, sec. 221. 1894, ch. 295, sec. 143 P.

**244.** Nothing contained in sections 229-242 shall apply to lodges or orders of a purely religious, charitable or benevolent description, paying exclusively sick, funeral or death benefits to members, their family or dependents, and not operated with a view to profit, nor shall any such organization be required to make any report under this or any other sections of the insurance laws; and provided further, that no society, lodge or body of any secret or fraternal society, or association of employes of any particular trade, firm or corporation organized in this State, paying only sick benefits not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars in the aggregate to any one person in any one year, or a funeral benefit to those dependent on a member not exceeding three hundred and fifty dollars, shall be required to make any report thereof under this article or under any other article of the insurance laws; provided further, that certificates issued by the Improved and Independent Orders of B'nai B'rith may be made payable to charitable institutions as now provided in its by-laws.

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See notes to sec. 229.